Mr. SPEAKER.—I shall consider. If he wants, let him unconditionally withdraw and express regret.

Sri H. N. NANJE GOWDA.—As a new comer and as a young member in the Legislature I feel that an old and aged Speaker like you, is like my Grandpa and so if I have taken such liberty consciously or unconsciously it is out of love and affection to the Speaker and not with any bad intention. I do not remember what I have spoken, but presuming I have said that, I unconditionally withdraw those words and express regret.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I shall consider both the things.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಬಂಗಾರಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ತಾವು ರೂಲಿಂಗ್ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಅದು ರೆಕಾರ್ಡ್ ಆಗಿದೆ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಮುಂದೆ ತಾವು ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ರೂಲಿಂಗ್ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—I shall give my ruling.

Point whether "Criminal waste of time" is parliamentary

Sri M. NAGAPPA.—Sir, yesterday I sent a motion regarding the words "criminal waste of the time of the House." used on the floor of the House. In this connection, I would invite the attention of the Chair to the proceedings of the House of the People, Vol. II page 1498 of 1952 wherein "wasting the time of the House" is held as unparliamentary and it is all the more so when it is said as "criminal waste of the time of the House." I submit that with reference to this ruling this expression may be ruled as unparliamentary and it should be expunged from the records. The member who used it should also withdraw it unconditionally and he should also express regret for it.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The member will kindly pass on that authority to me.

Sri D. B. KALMANKAR.—Sir, your ruling on the point regarding privilege motion against Sri S. Nijalingappa may be given.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I shall give it at the end of the day.

Statement by the Minister for Law, Labour and Parliamentary Affairs *re:* position of Questions tabled and Answers furnished by the Government.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Sir, yesterday the hon. member Sri Nagappa raised a point and I promised to give information to this House regarding the position of questions and answers. Sir, so far out of 409 questions which are more than 15 days old, we have been able to furnish answers to 280 questions. Out of these 280 questions, 220 questions have been listed and answered on the floor of this House.